IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

FEDERAL HOME LOAN BANK OF PITTSBURGH,)
Plaintiff,) Civil Action No. 09-1520
vs.)
COUNTRYWIDE SECURITIES CORPORATION, COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS, INC., CWALT, INC., CWMBS, INC., COUNTRYWIDE FINANCIAL CORPORATION, MOODY'S CORPORATION, MOODY'S INVESTORS SERVICE, INC., THE MCGRAW-HILL	
COMPANIES, INC., and FITCH, INC., Defendants.)))

STIPULATION PURSUANT TO COURT ORDER OF DECEMBER 21, 2009

Plaintiff and all Defendants in the above-captioned case, having met and conferred in person pursuant to the Court's Order of December 21, 2009, stipulate and agree as follows:

- 1. Although Defendants maintain this matter was properly removed to this Court, to avoid further costs and expenditure of resources, Defendants consent to remand of the above-captioned action to the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County.
- 2. Although Plaintiff maintains that this action was properly filed in state court, remand is appropriate, and attorneys' fees and expenses could be awarded, to avoid further costs and expenditure of resources, Plaintiff waives its right to seek attorneys' fees and expenses based upon the removal of this action and/or Civil Action No. 2:09-cv-1421.

- 3. Defendants may have to and including February 26, 2010 to file any Preliminary Objections to the Complaint in this action and Brief related thereto in the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County.
- 4. Should a Defendant file Preliminary Objections to any counts of the Complaint, that Defendant shall have an extension of time until 45 days after the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County rules upon said Preliminary Objections before answering either that count (should said count not be dismissed by Preliminary Objection) and/or any count to which a Preliminary Objection was not filed on or before February 26, 2010.
- 5. Plaintiff shall have to and including 30 days from electronic service upon Plaintiff of any Preliminary Objections filed on or before February 26, 2010 to file its response, including any Brief by Plaintiff in Opposition to Preliminary Objections, filed on or before February 26, 2010.
- 6. A Defendant that has filed a Preliminary Objection shall have to and including 30 days from electronic service upon said Defendant of Plaintiff's Brief in Opposition to Preliminary Objections to file any Reply Brief to Plaintiff's said Brief in Opposition.
- 7. If Plaintiff files, in the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County, an Amended Complaint by January 8, 2010, in this civil action, the February 26, 2010 filing date for Preliminary Objections thereto shall continue to apply.
- 8. The parties shall present this case to the Commerce and Complex Litigation Center of the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County as a case

appropriate for its jurisdiction and request that the Commerce and Complex Litigation Center assume such jurisdiction.

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